

## **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

### **RS21038**

This is a resolution endorsing the Idaho Alzheimer's Planning Group's efforts to address the problems of Alzheimer's disease and other dementias in Idaho. Alzheimer's disease affects thousands of Idahoans, with diagnosis projected to increase and mortality rates continuing to climb. The Alzheimer's Planning Group is working on a statewide plan to address the growing concerns faced by individuals with Alzheimer's and other dementias, their families and caregivers. The statewide plan will help create community awareness and a comprehensive approach toward educating the public, using statewide data to assess need, and recommending strategies and programs to address the issue. The Planning Group will work with agencies, organizations and individuals to address the growing problem of Alzheimer's and other dementias throughout Idaho.

### **FISCAL NOTE**

There is no fiscal impact.

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